

[24th August 1961]

The motion was put and carried and leave was granted.

THE HON. SRI R. VENKATARAMAN : Sir, I introduce the Bill.

DEPUTY SPEAKER : The Bill is introduced.

(2) THE MADRAS OCCUPANTS OF KUDIYIRUPPU (PROTECTION FROM EVICTION) BILL, 1961.

THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU : Sir, I beg leave to introduce the Madras Occupants of Kudiyiruppu (Protection from Eviction) Bill, 1961.

DEPUTY SPEAKER : The question is—

‘ That leave be granted for the introduction of the Madras Occupants (Protection from Eviction) Bill, 1961.’

The motion was put and carried and leave was granted.

THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU : Sir, I introduce the Bill.

DEPUTY SPEAKER : The Bill is introduced.

IV.—PRESENTATION OF THE FIRST SUPPLEMENTARY STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURE FOR 1961-62.

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM : Sir, I rise to present the First Supplementary Estimates for the year 1961-62. The detailed explanatory statement of the Demands for Grants is placed on the table of the House. The total supplementary demand is for Rs. 67 lakhs, of which the share of the revenue account is Rs. 37 lakhs while Rs. 22 lakhs come under the Capital Account and Rs. 8 lakhs under “ Loans and Advances ”.

The demands are mainly on ‘ New Services ’ of Development. This is the first year of the Third Five-Year Plan and new schemes which were not ready for the budget are being sanctioned in accordance with our programme. The demands before the House also provide for additional appropriations in respect of heads for which further outlays are found necessary.

The major demand in the Revenue Account is for the relief of distress and damages caused by the recent floods in the Cauvery. A separate P.W.D. circle has also been formed to attend to flood damages and a sum of Rs. 25 lakhs has been provided to meet the expenditure. Additional funds will be obtained in the Final Supplementary Estimates, when a more accurate forecast of total expenditure can be made.

The demand under Education includes a significant increase in new expenditure relating to the expenses to be borne by the Government, in distributing the munificent gift of food articles by the American people represented by the CARE Organisation in support of our midday meal scheme. The CARE Organisation has offered to supply in the current year 18.75 million pounds and in 1962, 6.25